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DUAL-WAVELENGTH PASSIVE SELF-MODULATED MODE-LOCKED

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: Box Missing Parts

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed April 24, 2000, a copy of which is enclosed, Applicant now timely submits herewith a duly executed original Combined Declaration.

An Assignment from all the inventors in favor of "UNIVERSITÉ LAVAL" is also filed accompanied by two (2) Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status – one Independent Inventor and the other one Nonprofit Organization in the name of Université Laval.

Our cheque No. 007848 in the amount of \$450.00 is also enclosed to cover the basic filing, surcharge and Assignment recordal fees. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to account No. 19-5113.

Respectfully,

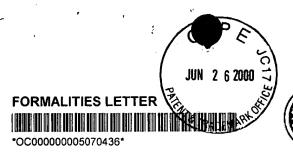
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- · The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$820.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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